

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Hunter-Kinard-Tyler Elementary School Orangeburg Consolidated School District Four Grades: PK-6 **Enrollment: 343**

Principal: Francina Gerald Superintendent: Brenda Turner **Board Chair: Peggy Tyler**

PERFORMANCE

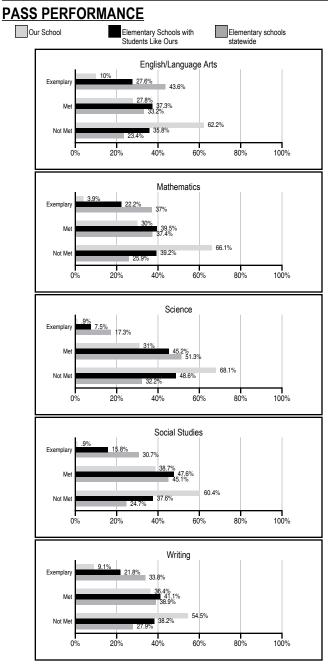
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| YEAR | ABSOLUTE RATING | GROWTH RATING | PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD | | ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM | |
|------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|---|--------------------------|
| | | | General Performance | Closing the Gap | ESEA Grade | Accountability Indicator |
| 2012 | At-Risk | At-Risk | TBD | TBD | F | Priority |
| 2011 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2010 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

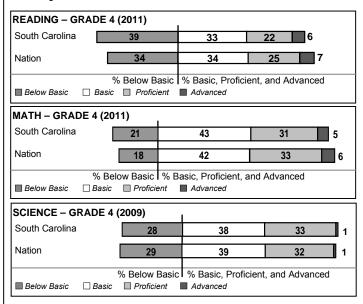
| EXCELLENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | BELOW AVERAGE | AT-RISK |
|-----------|------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 2 | 12 | 95 | 49 | 20 |

^{*} Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.



NAEP PERFORMANCE*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

Hunter-Kinard-Tyler Elementary School [Orangeburg Consolidated School District Four]

SCHOOL PROFILE

| | Our School | Change from Last Year | Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours | Median Elementary School |
|--|------------|-----------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Students (n=343) | | | | |
| Retention rate | 0.0% | N/A | 1.3% | 1.0% |
| Attendance rate | 96.6% | N/A | 96.3% | 96.6% |
| Served by gifted and talented program | N/AV | N/AV | N/AV | N/AV |
| With disabilities other than speech | N/AV | N/AV | N/AV | N/AV |
| Older than usual for grade | N/AV | N/AV | N/AV | N/AV |
| Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses | N/R | N/R | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Teachers (n=24) | | | | |
| Teachers with advanced degrees | 58.3% | N/A | 62.8% | 63.0% |
| Continuing contract teachers | N/AV | N/AV | N/AV | N/AV |
| Teachers returning from previous year | N/A | N/A | 85.4% | 88.7% |
| Teacher attendance rate | 92.8% | N/R | 95.3% | 95.1% |
| Average teacher salary* | \$46,435 | I/S | \$45,127 | \$47,210 |
| Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers | 0.0% | N/A | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Professional development days/teacher | 3.1 days | N/R | 9.8 days | 10.5 days |
| School | | | | |
| Principal's years at school | 1.0 | N/R | 4.0 | 4.0 |
| Student-teacher ratio in core subjects | N/R | N/R | 18.1 to 1 | 20.0 to 1 |
| Prime instructional time | 87.0% | N/R | 90.6% | 90.5% |
| Opportunities in the arts | Poor | N/R | Good | Good |
| SACS accreditation | Yes | N/R | Yes | Yes |
| Parents attending conferences | N/R | N/R | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Character development program | N/R | N/R | Excellent | Excellent |
| Dollars spent per pupil** | N/A | N/A | \$8,317 | \$7,247 |
| Percent of expenditures for instruction** | N/A | N/A | 66.6% | 68.2% |
| Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries** | N/A | N/A | 63.3% | 65.7% |
| ESEA composite index score * Length of contract = 185+ days | 23.2 | N/A | 84.4 | 91.9 |

Length of contract = 185+ days.

EVALUATION RESULTS

| | Teachers | Students* | Parents* |
|--|----------|-----------|----------|
| Number of surveys returned | 16 | 45 | 27 |
| Percent satisfied with learning environment | 60.0% | 61.4% | 62.5% |
| Percent satisfied with social and physical environment | 53.3% | 60.5% | 56.0% |
| Percent satisfied with school-home relations | 43.8% | 72.7% | 66.7% |

^{*}Only students at the highest elementary school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The 2011-12 school year was an exciting year at Hunter-Kinard-Tyler Elementary School. Our vision is to HKT Elementary..."Where We Are Building Strong Foundations". We are very proud of the hard work of our students, faculty and staff this year as there have been several notable changes. We are continuing to uphold our duty as outlined in the Educational Accountability Act to notify the community of the outstanding initiatives we have implemented at Hunter-Kinard-Tyler Elementary School.

HKTE is situated in a rural setting in an agricultural-based community. Our student population is close to 90% free and reduced lunch. The school serves the communities of Norway, Neeses and Springfield. HKTE worked with our Parenting Coordinator to host family night activities, a Breakfast Book Club for parents of our 4 year old students and a Parent Power Hour. The cooperation and interaction between our community and school has served to enhance our educational programs.

Our academic focus was on training and implementation of Response to Intervention(RTI) in both reading and math. Several programs were used to provide Tier II and Tier III intervention for students. READ 180, a comprehensive system of curriculum, instruction, assessment, and professional development proven to raise reading achievement for struggling readers in grades 4-12+. Designed for any student reading two or more years below grade-level, READ 180 leverages adaptive technology to individualize instruction for students and provide powerful data for differentiation to teachers. Wilson Fundations for K-3 is a phonological/phonemic awareness, phonics and spelling program for the general education classroom. Fundations is based upon the Wilson Reading System® principles and serves as a prevention and intervention program to help reduce reading and spelling failure. Rather than completely replace core curriculum, Fundations provides the research-validated strategies that complement installed programs to meet federal standards and serve the needs of all children. Programs were also used from the Voyager family, including Passport, Ticket to Read and VMath. Number Worlds was used in math. Number Worlds is an intensive intervention program that focuses on students who are one or more grade levels behind in elementary mathematics.

HKTE participated once again as a part of the Literacy in the Content Area Team (LCAT), a grant program which featured learning activities that teachers in all content areas could utilize in their classrooms.

The Arts program continues to provide creative outlets for our students: musicals and drama productions. Several of our students received invitations to participate in the Summer Gifted and Talented Arts program.

Members of the HKTE family who support our students are members of the guidance department, Literacy and Math Interventionist and the PBIS Coordinator. Hunter-Kinard-Tyler Elementary School's administration, faculty and staff, along with School Improvement Council, will continue to look for innovative ways to improve academic achievement. We welcome your support in this effort.

Francina Gerald, Principal Wesley Scott, SIC Chair

^{**} Prior year audited financial data available.